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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Amend claim 27 as follows:

27. (Amended) A hard disk drive comprising a semiconductor module claimed in any one of claims 5 to 23.

Add claims 30 and 31.

30 (New) A hard disk drive comprising a semiconductor module claimed in claim 24.

31. (New) A hard disk drive comprising a semiconductor module claimed in claim 25.

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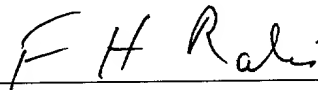
Claim 27 is amended to correct the multiple-multiple dependency.

Attached is a marked-up version of the changes being made by the current amendment.

Applicant asks that all claims be examined. Please calculate the total claim fee based on the amendments provided herein. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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